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## NYE IN THE WEST.

William Stops off at Some Places in California.

And Tells of His Experiences as Nobody but He Could Ever Hope to Do.

He Sees Peter Jackson and Makes a Few Philosophical Remarks About Pugilism in General—The Bill That Wasn't Good That Wasn't Good That Wasn't Good.

Sam Davis.

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ROUND ABOUT CALIFORNIA, March.  
Last evening I saw Peter Jackson, the great colored pugilist, in his masterly creation of Uncle Tom. Mr. Jackson has the average face of a colored man, not refined and beautiful as some have imagined. We often hear from admiring friends that Mr. Corbett is very fond of home, and that John L. Sullivan, if sud-



I TOOK IT WHILE REHEARSING MY PIECE, and I often wake up in the night to find Sam standing on the bed, and with one hand on my chest to steady himself by, he is changing the address of a subscriber.

Mr. Davis has for many years given his attention to the cultivation of fine cattle, mostly Holsteins. There is little about the rise and fall of the Holstein that he does not know. Recently, however, he has been, he says, cruelly wronged by a man who has been his friend. Sam has done much for him, but in February last he sold Sam a cow that had no front teeth in the upper jaw.

He said a good deal about it and tried to recover from the man, but could not. Sam, however, says that he had no front teeth in the upper jaw, and that he would not have been so wronged by a man who has been his friend.

By and by Joseph T. Goodman offered to let Sam \$100 against all the Dutch lynchings required by Joe during his natural lifetime that no cow had front teeth on the upper jaw, and the two men went out around Oakland trying to find a cow so that they could ascertain it.

It was a pleasing picture, those two middle-aged married men going about Oakland inquiring at the jewelry stores and everywhere if they kept a cow.

Once they found one on her way to her work. She met them pleasantly, as all Californians meet a stranger, and passed on, thinking that was the end of it, but Sam said now was the time and started off after her, for he knew as soon as he met her that it was a cow, which shows that he is not only possessed of great literary resources, but is full of general information.

Sam had a heavy gray overcoat on at the time, but he presented on the cow broke into a run, which threw her milky way first on one side and then the other as she ran. She was a low set cow, with great trip facilities, and could not run with much grace, but after we had watched Sam awhile as he ran it was a relief to look at the cow.

Finally in the foothills a man met them and caught the cow for them. She was flushed and angry, and when Sam thrust his forefinger into her mouth she did not attempt to bite his hand.

A sickly pallor passed over the face of Mr. Davis as he touched the empty gurney. Could it be that, after he had introduced the Holstein strain of cattle into Nevada and California, he was still ignorant of the cow and her home life? Alas, yes; he did not know the real cow. He only knew the Delmar cow—the cow that one sees in the papers.

Worse than all this, seeing his advantage, Mr. Goodman began to offer information regarding the cow, and so to say, while he had, Davis down fairly snatched him under with facts which related to the cow and which Mr. Davis was in no condition to deny.

Mr. Davis now believes that certain kinds of cows hibernate, and that if they come out and see their shadow on Calamus day they go back and leave a calf for Easter at 9 a. m.

Also that the cow can be taught to come up nights, and that there is a big chance for some one to get hold of the Sargasso sea under the desert land act and stock it with these beautiful and docile creatures.

IT WAS A RELIEF TO LOOK AT THE COW. In the meantime Mr. Goodman eats a light breakfast, relying on a late lunch, which Mr. Davis pays for.

In another letter I will speak more fully of the state of California and its advantages over Maine as a winter climate.

It is enough to enter San Francisco and complete with a great city full of talent when one has all the clothes he can get, but to undertake a difficult role there while one's clothing is in Ogden is said to be one of the saddest things in stage life.

This is especially true where the clothes constitute the motif of the play. In Salt Lake City we received at the door a \$3 bill, which we have since learned is not negotiable. Will the man who paid it in at the window please make it right should these lines meet his eye?

It is a pale green bill for \$2 and seems to have been issued by the First National bank of Salt Lake. In the hurry and rush at the door I took it while rehearsing my piece to myself.

I would not ask to have the amount made good under ordinary circumstances, but we are so far from home and carriage hire is so steep here in California that we feel a little crippled by the loss.

## AS BLITHE AS A BIRD.

Milly McFleet and Her Frivolous Feet.

[COMMERCIAL.]

Oh, fair as a flower was Milly McFleet—as fair as a lily and fully as sweet. Men called her an angel with sweetness complete, but she fluttered through life on her frivolous feet, for lack of the requisite pinions.

She was as blithe as a bird, and as glad and as gay as a frisky and frolicsome kitten at play, and all those who saw her away, and entered it up as a red-letter day when they were acknowledged as her minions.

Oh, sober and steady was Deacon O'Dum, so grave and so gruff, and so grim and so gruff, that he never could laugh, but only say "hum," if a thing changed so he more than half handsome—so dismal and distinct and deep his dejection.

He thought that to wait was the worst kind of wrong; and to go to the play, or to sing a gay song were so bad that he could not find words that were strong enough to express his objections.

She dwelt in a brick, and he dwelt in a stone—a more elegant neighborhood never was known; there was everything needful to give it the tone, and her house was only two doors from his own, which made it a clear case of proximity.

But he was all frowns and she was all smiles, and he was straightforward and she was full of wiles; they might have been sundered by millions of miles, so ultra their social longinquity.

One day Miss Millie impelled by some whim, to Sunday School went and with countenance prim united with others in singing a hymn—she sang an exalted soprano.

And her voice, like the voice of a chromatic bird—chromatic means color, but you may have inferred that I speak in the musical sense of the word—like the voice of a bird or angels was heard, sublimely in hymn and hosanna.

The deacon had charge of the biblical class; in doctrines no man might the deacon surpass; and the maiden McFleet was a learner.

But the good man discovered in a very brief time that, although the girl had a voice like a chime, she was naught but a heathen in matters sublime, and her darkness of soul was to him such a crime that his deep voice grew graver and sterner.

"Excuse me young people; I can not disguise that it grieves me and gives me surprise to find some among you so very unwise in a matter of vital theology."

Said Milly McFleet, with a gesture of grace, and a solicitous face, "You mean me, oh, dear deacon; it is a very clear case—no you need not make an apology."

"I know you mean me, and it grieves me full sore that I never learned aught of such matters before; but now there is no use in complaining."

"'Tis a fault of the head, and not of the heart—a fault with which, too, I am willing to part; perhaps you might take me in training."

VIII.  
Now, whether she meant it, or did she but jest, I have no means of knowing; perhaps you may have guessed; but the deacon never paused to consider.

He caught at the offer before it got cold, as if he was a broker, whose "puts" were unsold when the market no more might be called or controlled, and she was the last bidder.

IX.  
The Deacon, now filled with apious design, called on his neighbor next evening at 9, nor minding the matter with subterfuge, fine, he argued at length on the nature divine the law on the orthodox line, beginning with total depravity.

Perhaps Miss McFleet could scarcely refrain from curling her lip with a smile of disdain as the deacon ran on in a monotonous strain, making the ways of salvation sufficiently plain, but she kept a straight face and made out to maintain becoming and dignified gravity.

X.  
O, Cupid! O, love! O, fantastic sprite, what parodic passions become your delight! what derivative fondness you love to excite! you would get up a match betwixt the day and the night, or marry a humming bird, dainty and bright, to boacon-strictor with a big appetite—so random you shoot and capricious.

O, Cupid! O, love, O, whimsical shade! O, volatilis joke! O, frivolous jade! what left-handed nuptials you ever have made—perversion, delusion, deception, is your trade; and yet, oh, Cupid you are delicious.

XI.  
O'Dum, who adored but his Lord and his pelt, and Milly, who loved her adorable self were alike stricken down by the mischievous elf, who shot them from quiver plithoric.

The deacon emitted impassionate

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The recent drought has damaged the crops in Tennessee, Mississippi and Arkansas.

PRORIA, Ill.,—The Republican Tuesday in the city election, the first time in many years.

At Park Rapids, Minn., snow has fallen in the last few days to a depth of twenty inches.

The *Reformer* is a new temperance paper at Bowling Green. It is a splendid little sheet.

GEORGE MATTHEWS, a young farmer living near Harrodsburg, committed suicide Tuesday by taking strychnine. He had been drinking.

BELGIUM has taken another step toward Republicanism. The Chamber of Deputies through fear of revolution will grant universal suffrage.

OWENSBORO is making extensive arrangements to entertain the G. A. R. Encampment on the 28th inst. Ohio county should be well represented.

CONGRESSMAN, Asher G. Caruth, of Louisville, who has been sick at Washington for some time is improving in health, but losing in political popularity.

THE *Livermore Chronicle* is the name of the latest visitor to our exchange table. It is a bright, new paper, and we wish our new neighbor a long and prosperous life.

WILLIAM R. MORRISON, the advocate of Horizontal Tariff Reduction, is now in favor of replacing the tax on sugar. Such a plan may please the Democratic tariff tinkers, but a tariff on sugar will not please the people.

Our *Cornwall* correspondent, as the reader will notice, has punctured Mr. J. L. Taylor's bubble in regard to the alleged lack of "backbone" on the part of the County Court in ordering the election on the whisky question, but he did not go far enough. Had he been acquainted with the circumstances he could have truthfully said that many of our citizens who signed the petition to submit the question will vote against the saloons. When the petition had been properly presented it was mandatory on the Judge to order the election.

CANEYVILLE. W. H. Newman, Louisville, was in town last week.

N. Simpson, Reedy, was here on business Monday.

Miss Lizzie Miller, Nash, visited friends here last week.

Master Eugene Gray, of Memphis, Tenn., arrived last Friday morning. He will spend the summer with his grandfather, H. Gray.

Mrs. Effie Bozarth returned from Louisville Thursday.

Mrs. Nellie Harned returned from Millwood Sunday.

P. Nash, of Nash, was in town Friday.

Miss Maude White, of Big Clifty, is the guest of Mrs. R. L. White this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady, of Horse Branch, visited the family of J. B. Rogers this week. Mr. Brady is not at work now, so he is putting in his time visiting.

A. H. Hussey returned from Louisville Monday.

A. L. Blain is improving.

Will Carter, South Caneyville, has measles.

Cale Crawford is sick—perhaps he too, has measles.

Jo. B. Rogers, editor of the *Hartford Republican*, also, a good Republican, was in town this week.

Dora Sullenger, of color, died Saturday night after a severe spell of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Carter returned from Louisville Sunday.

LILLIAN.

Master Franklin, the three-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Beard, died at their home in this place, last Tuesday. On the day before the little fellow was alone in the room, and getting hold of a match struck it, igniting his clothes. The flames covered his face in an instant, and the burns caused his death the next day. The child was considered rather bright for his age and the sad occurrence brought great grief upon his fond parents and brothers and sisters. —[Breckenridge News.]

Mrs. Beard is a niece of Mrs. Bishop of this place and the family is well known here. —[Grayson Gazette.]

WILLIAMS-ROARK.

Mr. A. I. Williams and Miss Josie Roark, of Centertown, were married Monday in Jeffersonville, Ind. There was no opposition to the match but the young people liked the novelty of the thing and so they went. Mr. Williams is a popular druggist of Centertown, and Miss Roark is the daughter of Mr. W. T. Roark, and a worthy young woman. We wish them pleasant sailing.

MALLIN-STEVENS.

Mr. J. W. Mallin and Mrs. Zelmer Stevens, both of the Liberty neighborhood, were married at the home of the bride yesterday evening. They are quite popular, and their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

## WASHINGTON.

Politics and Things Politicians About the Capital as they appear to our Correspondent.

Senator Vorhees has doubtless often found it advantageous to his clients, in his practice before the criminal courts, to plead guilty and ask the mercy of the court because of extenuating circumstances, and he attempted to work on the sympathies of the Senators, as he has often so successfully done upon jurors in behalf of clients he knew to be guilty, when he so bitterly attacked Senator Hoar for insisting that his resolution instructing the Committee on Privileges and Elections to inquire into the charge of embezzlement against Senator Roach and to investigate the same and report to the Senate if the charge be true, be voted upon. Mr. Vorhees took an extraordinary course in admitting his client—beg pardon, Senator Roach, to have been guilty of the charge preferred against him, and asking pardon for him because of the blameless life he has led since he committed the crime with which he is charged, and because of his efforts to atone for the guilty past. This appeal might have had more effect if Mr. Roach had not returned to Washington under circumstances that have attached to him the suspicion of another crime—bribery. The position of Butler, of South Carolina, Mills, of Texas, and other Democratic Senators, in maintaining that the Senate had no authority to investigate anything that happened before a man was elected Senator, the power of the State that sent him being paramount and not to be questioned, is simply a ridiculous stretch of old States rights ideas; but by the aid of old king canuses the Democratic Senators who believe the investigation should be made—there is a number of them—were compelled to acquiesce therein. In order to get the votes of a sufficient number of Democratic Senators to pass a resolution in caucus against making this investigation, Senator Gorman had to acknowledge to his Democratic colleagues, who did not know it, that it was made there was great danger of a national scandal being unearthed which would necessarily be disastrous to the Democratic party.

When Mr. Wainmaker was Postmaster General he made a ruling shutting out from the mails as lottery matter all circulars issued by real estate speculators or others, offering to give away lots as inducements to purchase other lots. This week at the instigation of Congressman Chipman, of Michigan, Postmaster General Bissell reversed that ruling. It may be true that Mr. Ady has no valid claim to the seat now held by Senator Martin, of Kansas, but even if that were an absolute certainty it would not have justified the underhanded methods resorted to by Senator Gorman to prevent an honest investigation of Martin's right to the seat, after the Committee on Privileges and Elections had formally agreed to report a resolution to the Senate authorizing that investigation. After he had learned that the Committee had agreed to report that resolution, Senator Gorman went to the committee, Chairman of the Committee, and told him that the Committee must not report that resolution, but must vote, that is, its Democratic members, must vote to reconsider the action of the Committee in ordering the resolution reported. To the credit of Senator Vance and the other Democratic members of the Committee, Gorman's orders were not obeyed. The resolution was reported, but it is doubtful whether it will be acted upon before next winter, as Gorman succeeded in getting it referred to the Committee on Contingent Expenses, which may or may not report it back to the Senate at this session.

Secretary Gresham is credited with a degree of smallness that is hard to reconcile with his ability, in his efforts to get even with a dead man for having refused to cast his influence for him when he was a candidate for the Presidential nomination before the Republican National Convention of 1888. It is said that Secretary Gresham, not satisfied with dismissing personal friends of the late James G. Blaine from the State Department and Diplomatic and Consular, has actually taken the trouble to ask the heads of other departments to dismiss them as fast as they can locate them. Senator Gorman called on Mr. Cleveland this week for the first time since he was inaugurated, and, although he did not go to ask for patronage, he was snubbed. He went on his capacity of boss of the majority of the Senate. Mr. Cleveland informed him that when the Senate had finished the work for which they had been called together in extra session, he would notify it in the customary manner. The program had been to adjourn on Wednesday of this week, but it is now expected that it will get away about that time next week.

The slaughter is becoming general in the departments, and, although the dismissals are as yet confined to the chiefs of divisions and officials not in the classified service, there is a general feeling of uneasiness among the Republicans who hold positions in the classified service.

## GENERAL NEWS.

George Clapp, formerly known in New York as the "King of the Bohemians," died in a Bowery boarding house.

All the murderers of Abbie Oliver at Morganfield, Ky., have confessed and are in jail except one unknown man, who escaped.

In a decision at Macon, Ga., Judge

Spear of the United States Court instructed the receiver of the Georgia Central to observe his contract with the engineers.

Judge Deemer, at Council Bluffs, Ia., has rendered a decision defining the power of the state railroad commissioners, holding that their orders are binding on railroads.

The whisky warehouse receipts forgeries of A. R. Sutton at Louisville have caused the suspension of the Mattingly & Sons distillery.

In a fit of madness, a German named Burkhardt at Fairbury, Ill., held his 16-months-old niece against a red-hot stove till she was fatally burned.

Switzerland is hunting for anarchists in consequence of a rumor that Emperor Williams' life will be attempted while en route through the republic to Italy.

German newspapers taunt the Bismarck monument committee with cowardice and fear of the emperor in not using the fund and erecting a monument.

Life is often made a failure by those who would make it a shining success through a misapprehension of the duties of life. There are noble-hearted, good women and men too, who have built for themselves some grand ideal in which they propose to themselves build a temple of good examples and leave the world better because of their good works, forgetting that the world is too practical to be greatly influenced by a life lacking a focus. No great man or woman has ever succeeded in eliminating home from the life-work and left a perfect life picture. While there are many hapless homes, there are many about which cluster the beauties of approximate heavenly bliss. No life is perfect in its powers, nor full in its richness to bless, that does not enjoy the strength of a happy home influence.

The first telephone that was ever used was not electrical, nor was it a scientific instrument in any sense of the term. A little more than 50 years ago the employees of a large manufacturing bureau beguiled their leisure hours by kite-flying. Kites large and small went up daily, and the strife was to see who could get the largest. The twine which held them was threaded spun and twisted by the ladies of the village. One day to the tail of the largest kite was attached a kitten sewed in a canvas bag, with a netting over the mouth to give it air. When the kite was at its greatest height—300 feet or more—the mewing could be distinctly heard by those holding the string. To the clearness of the atmosphere was attributed the hearing of the kitten's voice. This is the first account we remember of speaking along a line.

The troubles of the gay young census enumerator, John P. Doyle, of Skaneateles, who stole a kiss from pretty Mrs. Tamer Wilson, while on his census taking trip and against whom a jury in the county court reported a verdict of \$300 have not yet come to an end. The judgment against Doyle amounts to \$405.20 and he has not yet paid the amount over to Mrs. Wilson. Recently Doyle was arrested at his barber shop in Skaneateles on a body execution and was taken to Syracuse. The young man's father, John H. Doyle, and James H. Huxford signed surety bonds in the penal sum of \$300.00, twice the amount of the judgment. Doyle will have to remain in the jail limits, which will keep him within the territory of the old city limits when the city consisted of but eight wards. If he goes into the ninth, tenth or eleventh wards he will be liable to arrest and forfeiture of the bonds.

## FRIENDSHIP.

April 19.—Health in this community pretty good—business pretty lively.

J. S. Farmer and family visited T. D. Royal and family Sunday.

W. T. Bellamy made a flying trip to Owensboro Saturday.

Mrs. Elvira Bellamy spent Sunday with Mrs. W. W. Royal.

Many thanks to Mrs. Albina Overman, Tullahoma, Tenn., for nice portrait of herself and husband.

The Church at this place is being painted which adds greatly to the looks of the building. At our regular meeting, Sunday night, Alfred Buckley made a noble confession and was immersed Monday.

Married, at the bride's home, on March 16th, P. R. Kelly to Miss Martha Hardin, by Elder A. S. Kelly. The attendants were G. D. Royal and Miss Iva Kelly. After the ceremony they repaired to the dining room where an elegant supper awaited them. Married, March 16th, Geo. W. Bellamy to Miss Victoria Adams. Married, April 13th, Frank Roach to Miss Viola Brown. Attendants, G. D. Royal and Miss Etta Adams. The writer wishes them all much happiness as they journey through life.

I wish to return my thanks to my many friends for their kindness shown me in my recent illness.

BEATRICE.

## FRED LONG MARRIED.

[STATE GAZETTE, DYERSBURG, TENN.] Last Tuesday afternoon Mr. W. Fred Long and Mrs. Ella Smith were married at the Methodist Church, by Rev. H. W. Brooks, in the presence of a large number of friends. Mr. Long, of Beaver Dam, Ky., is the efficient and popular telegraph operator at Dyersburg and his bonny bride is a daughter of our fellow townsman, Mr. Ruben Butterworth. The friends of the happy pair wish them much success and prosperity.

J. W. Hale, Jeweler, Fordville, is prepared to do all kinds of watch and clock repairing. Bring or send your work to him.

## Route to a Sure Death.

Jacques du Chastel, bishop of Soissons, had accompanied Louis IX (St. Louis) on the African crusade, and finding that nothing had been accomplished and that the army was about to return in disgrace to France refused to go, took leave of his friends, packed off the sacrament, mounted his horse fully equipped for battle, and in the sight of the whole army charged alone into the Saracen camp, where he was at once cut to pieces. —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

## How the Baby Looked.

A child who had been attending a kindergarten for some months, on being introduced to the new baby, regarded it critically for some moments and remarked, "His nose is an oblate spheroid!" —Washington Star.

## Ferdinand.

The first half of this word is fearful, "youth" or "life." The second half is a little uncertain, but may be conjectured to be probably nautic, "daring." It was the Spanish Goths who gave it its earliest vogue in the peninsula as Fernando or Fernan, San Fernando, king of Castile, sent it on to Aragon and thence to Naples, where it became Ferdinand and figures in "The Tempest" accordingly as Ferdinand. With Ferdinand and Isabella its fame grew worldwide. Again, in Spain itself, it became Fernando and Hernan, in which last shape it was immortalized by Cortez. Who would have suspected the conqueror of Mexico of bearing a name which on analysis turns out to be pure Anglo-Saxon? —Longman's Magazine.

## Animal Oils in Medicine.

The number of animal oils and fats used in medicine are extremely numerous. Large quantities of oil are obtained in Tasmania from the mutton bird and used as a liniment for rheumatism, while the fat of the frigate bird is said to be an excellent specific for scabies. Cod liver oil is too well known to bear more than mention, and the oil got from the dugong, an aquatic monster related to the whale tribe, has a high reputation as a substitute for that obtained from the smaller fry of the cod. From 5 to 14 gallons of this medicinal oil can be taken out of a single animal. —London Times.

## Sleeping on the March.

Cavalry soldiers often sleep in the saddle after a fatiguing march, and although it would seem impossible to march on foot and sleep at the same time, there are authentic instances of such a feat. Artillerymen in battle have been known to sleep under their own guns, which were constantly firing. —New York Evening Sun.

## Wedding Rings Given Away.

It may not be generally known that immigrants who desire to get married in New York are provided at a certain church with a plain gold ring free of cost, and during the last two years no fewer than 135 brides have been supplied with rings. —New York Letter.

## What He Thought.

Narcot—Have a cigar, old man, but I don't know how good it is. Old Man—That doesn't worry me. How bad it is is what I'm afraid of. —Detroit Free Press.

## THE REEL.

[BY P. L. BRUSHKIRE.]

As I passed slowly the street,  
You met me at your gate:  
And in your hand the blue sweet,  
You called me: "Won't you wait."  
I answered you and with a smile,  
I stopped right by your gate:  
I only spent a little while  
For the hour was growing late.

The lilac that you gave to me,  
Gave me pleasure and sweet repose,  
While from its blossom, the odor  
Came, than from any blushing rose.  
But now, adieu, my fairest lady,  
I wish you many pleasant hours,  
And may your life be long and shady,  
May your path be strewn with flowers.

## Excursion Rates.

For the G. A. R. Encampment at Owensboro, April 26th. The L. St. L. & T. Ry., which is the direct line to Owensboro, will make the extremely low rate of one fare for the round trip from Louisville, Henderson and all its stations.

For further information call on or address the undersigned,  
H. C. MORDEN, G. P. A.,  
Louisville, Ky.

See J. W. Hale's nice line of jewelry, consisting of watches, clocks, chains, etc., at Fordville.

## Advertising and Reform.

Under the gambling laws at present in the statute books, everybody who has set up a progressive euchre game in the last year is liable to be sent to the penitentiary. That may not have been the intention, but that is the law. Our reverend brother Carpenter, who is entitled to our respect as an ingenious and intelligent advertiser, may like that sort of a law, but we do not. Brother Carpenter has sat still and seen the Sunday laws, which are especially in his line of business, flagrantly and persistently violated and has not said a word that any body knows of, but when he sees a chance to advertise himself he jumps at it with as keen an appreciation of the opportunity as the great moral organ which is leading the current raid against the gamblers and the Jeffersonian Democracy.

The Commercial has shut up the gambling houses twice and can afford to let others exploit themselves. It will not let itself be worked in order to gratify private and political malice, masquerading under the guise of reform, but it has nothing to say against the simple-minded and well meaning people who are gratified to have any sort of allies. The Commercial was here before brother Carpenter, and will be here after he is forgotten, and having an interest in promoting intelligent advertising, and admiring brother Carpenter's ability in that line, it will continue to co-operate with him in good works.

## TAYLORTOWN.

April 17.—Green River is on a boom. The water is getting over low bottoms. A little more rain and corn planting in the bottoms will be delayed.

S. Calvin Taylor and J. S. Brown shipped a nice drove of hogs to Louisville, for which they got top prices.

James Berryman bought a fine mare from Clay Taylor, for which he paid \$170.

Sheep here suffered for blankets the past week, a great many having been sheared in this neighborhood.

Sep Elliott and wife visited Eagr. W. I. Rowe's family yesterday.

Miss Emma Brown is visiting relatives in Rockport this week.

Miss Carrie Taylor visited her uncle, R. S. Taylor, last week.

Bro. McDaniel and wife have been visiting friends here the past week. Bro. McDaniel preached to a large and attentive audience Sunday. An announcement was made to organize Sunday School next Sunday. Sunday School is much needed at Taylortown. May the citizens go out and elect good officers and have a good school of my prayer.

The Old Reliable Homestead Fertilizer for sale by Canabier & Burton, Taylortown, Ky. 36 ct

Those persons owing Dr. L. T. Cox will please call on me and settle the same, thereby saving cost.

37 3/4 M. L. HARRIS.

Statement of the Condition.

OF THE

BANK OF HARTFORD

at the Close of Business, January 21, 1893.

RESOURCES.

Bills discounted	\$70,911.82
Real estate	3,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,000.00
Bonds and Bank Stock	1,341.67
Debits in suit	743.74
Cash on hand	14,117.78
Cash in other Banks	17,280.68
	\$108,295.49

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	\$30,000.00
Deposits	72,486.85
Dividends unpaid	1,144.00
Due other Banks	4.30
Discount and Exchange	432.61
Undivided Profits	4,348.73
	\$108,295.49

A dividend of \$4.00 per share is now due and payable on demand.

A. K. COX, President.

For Sale.

A young mare adapted to family driving purposes.

E. B. PENDLETON, M. D.,  
Hartford, Ky. 27



Things are different. Chills could just jump on a little, unarmored band of American sailors, on shore to avoid scurvy, and "scurvy" them with her military prowess. But when it came to the American nation, the scurvy was a danger just as deadly when abroad. There was no question but what the "scurvy" was in the world's scurvy. After all, to be an American citizen, it means a good deal. The name is true of Dr. Foster's Kidney and Bladder Cure. It means everything, when it is known and used by those who are afflicted. If you are bowed down with kidney disease, rheumatism, or blood impurities, together with their resultant troubles, such as backache, aching limbs, neuralgia, dizziness, constipation, the blues, weakness, headache, erysipelas, skin eruptions, or any kindred affliction, as well as heart disease, rheumatism, dropsy, etc., in one moment turn your back to the world as it is, and step forth, strong, healthy and happy. In short it means being "on your feet" again. If you are in need of a bottle home today. If satisfaction is not given money refunded.

Two iron gray mares were taken up by me as strays on Wednesday, Apr. 12, at my farm near Bella. The owner can get them by calling and paying for this advertisement. G. W. HOOVER.

Bella, Ky.

A Critical Moment.

The history of the casting of steel is one of our story of patience. When Benvenuto Cellini cast his great Perseus, according to rules which his own genius had laid down, overcame and overcame his own limitations. He was obliged to take to his bed and leave the rest of the process to some faithful workmen who understood his plans.

Finally, however, one of them came, looking into his sickroom, where he lay, and found him groaning with pain, and told him with many assurances that the process was a failure and that the metal was cracked. Cellini sprang from his bed, ran across the street and rapidly dragged a load of dry oak wood back to his furnace. He made a roaring fire, and finding that the base alloy in his metal had been burned out he threw in all the power vessels of the household. Then the metal bubbled, the great Perseus was cast, and the maker and his faithful friends are excited. Youth's Companion.

## A Bandit's Passion.

The Italian papers report that a bandit, famous in his day, is now living in peaceful retirement not far from Civita Vecchia. Many years ago he gave up the active pursuit of his business, but not before he had arranged with a certain number of rural proprietors to contribute toward his support a sum proportionate to their means. This income tax is levied with the greatest regularity, and twice a year the genial brigand, accompanied by his secretary, collects it, and according to all accounts, without much difficulty.

## BROWN &amp; SONS, of ALABAMA.

Contains One Hundred Recipes for making delicious Candy, Chocolate and quickly at home. This book is given away at drug and grocery stores.

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**Greatest Value  
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**QUALITY is of FIRST  
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**Remember we want your  
Wool, Eggs and Feathers.**

**Fair Bros. & Co.**

—PROPRIETORS OF—

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FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 1893.

## PREMIUM!

One nice Patent Head Gutter given to anyone buying \$25.00 worth of goods (except oils and paints) at my House between this and January 1, 1894. \$1.00 worth of goods bought at one time entitles purchaser to one ticket. 25 tickets 1 gutter. Resp'y,  
L. B. BRAN, Hartford, Ky.

Buy your suit at Fair Bros. & Co. Fair Bros. & Co. are bargain-givers. Fair Bros. & Co. want your Production.

Best line of Pants at Fair Bros. & Co. Bargains in Millinery at Fair Bros. & Co.

Finest line of Clothing at Fair Bros. & Co. Ladies Slippers from 50c to \$1.75 at Kahn's.

Carson & Co. still keep lots of groceries.

New Millinery Goods just received at Carson & Co.

Call on Carson & Co. and get you a nice straw hat.

Biggest line of Shoes in Ohio country at Fair Bros. & Co.

Look at the best clothing for the lowest prices at Kahn's.

Call and see the pretty stylish hats, at Miss A. B. Lewis & Co's.

Ice for sale at any time and any quantity, at Williams Bros. tf

Everything neatly trimmed in Fair Bros. & Co's Millinery Parlors.

A new line of Furniture, just received. CARSON & CO.

Call for Carson & Co's. Clover Leaf Shoes. They are what you need.

The hats are in good taste and the latest styles, at Miss A. B. Lewis & Co's.

Carson & Co. have the prettiest and cheapest Millinery. Come and see for yourself.

Domestic, Prints, Gingham, Cotton Goods of every kind below cost at Fair Bros. & Co.

You can get a first-class Buggy at a fair price at Casebier & Burton's. Call and see them.

Latest Novelties in Plaid Velvets, Silks, Laces &c., for Dress Trimming at Carson & Co.

Prof. W. P. Arnold, of Leitchfield, will open a teachers training school at that place May 15.

John B. Ralph died at his home near Magan Monday and was buried Tuesday at 2 o'clock p. m.

The Hunting Club have had their boat re-caulked and she now floats on the water like a thing of life. Mr. Andy Rowe, of Livermore, did the caulking.

Miss A. B. Lewis & Co. take pleasure in showing you their goods and telling you what is stylish.

If you need any repairs for your Sewing Machine Gross Williams, the Singer Agent, can get them for you.

J. C. Riley, Kinderhook, delivered a hog weighing 380 pounds at 6 1/2c. to B. F. Gray, Beaver Dam. How's that for hog.

Gross Williams, the Singer Machine Agent, has moved his office to his residence. Remember this when you need needles, hands, rubbers, shuttles, oil, &c.

Don't use mean oil on your sewing machine, when you can get the best for the same money at the Singer Office.

GROSS WILLIAMS, Agent.

Best calicoes at 5c.  
4-4 best bleached cotton, 6 1/2c.  
4-4 best heavy brown cotton, 6c.  
Fine brown cotton, 5c.  
Indigo Blues. At Kahn's.

Lum Wise, a former citizen of this county, and once Jailer, got drunk at Seebree last week and on his way home was struck by a train and killed. His many old acquaintances will regret to hear of his sad end.

Why buy these "Cheap John" Sewing Machines when you can get the best on earth (Singer) at the rate of 10c. a day. GROSS WILLIAMS, Sole Agent for Ohio County.

Since last Sunday Rough River has been nearly bank full, and several thousand logs have passed, bound for Evansville. A great many of them stopped here for supplies and business with our grocery men has been good.

Mr. Anderson Blaine, of Caneyville, who has been ill for several months, has, under the close care of Dr. Nestor Barnett, considerably recovered, and it is sincerely hoped by his many friends that he may be fully restored.

The old firm of Hocker & Tabor, Rosine, has been reorganized with the same members. D. M. Hocker and J. W. Tabor. They have purchased the store owned by Gaines & Read, Fordsville, and Mr. Hocker has moved his family over and will open up at once.

Jo. Crow, of color, aged 107 years, died at Livermore last week. During slavery he was the property of Elijah Crow, and by working spare hours he saved enough money to buy himself. He bought his wife and had made several payments when Lincoln set her free. He was honest, upright and well respected.

Carson & Co. want your wool, your meat, your lard, your homemade carpet, your feathers, your eggs, your chickens, your butter, your flour, your meal or your anything else you may have to sell, for which they will pay the highest market price and exchange you dry goods, groceries, furniture or anything to be had in a general store at prices that defy competition.

## STEVENS & COLLINS FORGORIES.

Arbuckles Coffee, 25c, at Stevens & Collins.

Cash paid for Eggs and Butter, at Stevens & Collins.

We sell Groceries cheaper than anybody. STEVENS & COLLINS.

The continued cold and rainy weather is quite discouraging to the farmers.

For conveyance to and from Beaver Dam, call on S. L. Casebier or Casebier & Burton.

You can get first-class Rigs or Saddle Horses at Casebier & Burton's day or night.

Marriage license: John H. Miles to Mary E. Ford. J. W. Malin to Mrs. Zelmer Stevens.

Remember that C. L. Field will sell you a Buggy as easy as anyone, with a guarantee on each one.

Carson & Co. have the prettiest line of Ladies and Misses Shoes and Slippers ever brought to Hartford.

We present our readers a characteristic letter from the inimitable Bill Nye. Others will be presented at intervals. Look out for them.

You make money when you save money. Come and see Casebier & Burton's buggies and if you cannot save money by buying from them, they do not want to sell to you. Call and see for yourself.

The Baptist Sunday School takes a collection every Sunday now instead of every other Sunday as formerly. So that the candy-loving small boy and girl of Baptist proclivities must save those coveted coppers for use on Sunday morning. And the same remark is applicable to the wax chewing damsel and duds of Baptist proclivities as well.

The following is a partial list of those who have recently taken out insurance with Col. S. R. Dent in the United States Life. The reader will notice that they are among our very best business men: William F. Schapmire, L. M. Renter, Owen J. Thomas, Gabriel B. Likens, Ben F. Gray, J. E. Rowe, Thomas J. Morton, Henry B. Carson, J. S. R. Wedding, David Gammon, J. D. Hocker, R. P. Hocker, Marvin Bean, Amos R. Carson, U. S. Carson, Randall T. Collins, Charles L. Hardwick, S. W. Hocker, A. C. Hocker, E. T. Williams, M. L. Heavrin, Frank L. Felix, Edwin W. Taylor, James M. Casebier, Estill D. Guffy, James P. Stevens. Mr. Dent and his company are worthy of the confidence of the people and they possess it in a wonderful degree. He is tireless in his efforts and the fruit of his labor is the satisfaction of knowing that his company leads all others in this part of the country. Col. Dent is in the county this week and will go in a few days to Rochester to pay a death claim to the family of Thomas J. Gaines, of that place, who died recently and who had a policy in Col. Dent's company.

## Important Notice.

The committee from the Lecture Club, which has in charge the sale of Reserved Seats for the lecture to be delivered here on the evening of May 13th by Hon. Henry Watterson, desires to state that those who wish to secure a good seat in a favorable position should send in their orders to the Secretary at once. Mr. G. B. Likens has been appointed by the committee to look after the sale of Reserved seats and orders will be received by him and given preference in the order in which they are received. Reserved Seats will be sold at 75 cents each, and the money must accompany the order. Reserved seats are now on sale and are being sold rapidly, and those desiring good seats should see Mr. Likens at once or write to him, sending their orders. Strict attention will be given to the location of orders as received and those who secure their seats at once will be sure to obtain a desirable location.

Tickets will be on sale at the drug store of Williams, Bell & Co., where the public are invited to call and arrange for seats when in Hartford.

By order of the Executive Committee of the Hartford Lecture Club.

## What is the Matter with "Jankie" and the Gamblers.

[OWENSBORO MESSENGER.]

Commonwealth's Attorney Rowe was interviewed regarding the unusual number of indictments, which are being dismissed on the account of demurrer. He said, with reference to the indictment against George Rice, for gaming, which was the one under consideration, that it simply failed to charge an offense. The statute denounces the offense as "engaging in a game which money is bet, won and lost." It is necessary to recite these facts in any indictment under the statute, while in the indictment which was before the court it was only stated that the defendant was guilty of gaming, without defining in any way what gaming was. As to the other indictments dismissed, Mr. Rowe said the reason that moved the court were almost as numerous as the cases themselves, but were all due to some physical defect.

E. W. Taylor, who was the principal instigator of the proposed vote on the whisky question, yesterday declared his intention of having the order for the election withdrawn. He was around for the purpose of paying (7) the cost of the affair which he had expected to assume. We are advised, however, by two of Hartford's ablest attorneys that it is a matter of doubt whether or not the order authorizing the election can be withdrawn at will. At any rate the friends of prohibition will lose nothing by keeping their eyes open.

## PERSONAL

Henry Wright, Magan, called to see us Tuesday.

Lloyd Mills, Barnett's Creek, called on us Monday.

W. T. Roark, Centertown, was in town Tuesday.

J. J. Midkiff, Whitesville, called to see us Wednesday.

C. W. Parrott, Beaver Dam, was in the city Wednesday.

Will Spalding, Covington, visited his family here this week.

Fred Baruch spent a few days at home the first of the week.

Judge E. D. Walker is in Greenville on legal business this week.

S. M. Wilson, Rosine, made our office a pleasant call yesterday.

R. J. Daniel came down from Louisville to Beaver Dam Wednesday.

Frank Sullenger, of near town, called to see us the first of the week.

W. E. Morton, Ceralvo, an old College student, was in town Monday.

J. H. Bowman, Whitesville, called to see us while in town Wednesday.

H. J. C. Lindley, Point Pleasant, called to see us the first of the week.

Wilbur Tinsley, one of Beda's staunch Republicans, called on us Monday.

Attorney H. P. Taylor went to Louisville last Friday, returning Monday.

R. A. Anderson and E. E. Tinsley, Kinderhook, went Owensboro Monday.

T. M. Smith, Owensboro, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. G. H. Matthews.

Captain Cox went to Louisville Tuesday after noon, returning that night.

Like Condit has returned from Barton, Fla., after being absent three months.

Hiram Maddox and H. B. Taylor, Jr., Beaver Dam, were in the city yesterday.

A. Everett Ellis, Kinderhook, visited friends in McLean county Saturday and Sunday.

Judge W. L. Hawkins, after spending a week visiting in the country, has returned to town.

J. H. Nave, Beaver Dam, went to Hodgenville Tuesday on business, returning Wednesday.

Mrs. Luella Johnson, McLean county, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ann Bennett, this week.

Mr. Cecil Sanders is still very ill with typhoid fever at his home on East Main Street.—[Owensboro Inquirer.]

"Bant" Gross, Magan, brother of Adjutant General Jack Gross, passed down Tuesday, en route to Evansville with a raft of logs.

Mrs. J. K. Smith, McHenry, returned Wednesday from Louisville, where she had been laying in a spring stock of millinery.

Rev. J. T. Casebier and Capt. David Duncan, Rockport, were in town Monday in the interest of the graded school at that place.

Rev. E. L. Carson, an old No Creek boy, but now pastor in charge of the Morgantown Circuit, accompanied by his family, spent a few days this week visiting relatives on No Creek.

## CROWELL NOTES.

April 25.—MR. EDITOR: The little city of Crowell is on a business boom. Every department of our varied industries is flourishing. Our merchants have the best trade they have had for many years, and are rapidly regaining much of the ground they lost when the old E. & P. railroad was put through.

The tie business is at a flood tide—immense numbers of them are cut, and the large amount of money necessary to carry on the work makes times very flush. The men connected with the work are all quiet orderly citizens.

The school in charge of Miss Edna James is progressing nicely. This is Miss Edna's first school, but she is giving general satisfaction.

The damp cold weather has had quite a depressing effect on the aspirations of our many young dudes, but nevertheless they venture out now and then, in showers in their loud, loud pants, and louder ties, and strut about to the evident satisfaction of their duds-ships and the amusement of the more sober heads.

Attorney Heavrin, of your city, was out with us one day this week taking depositions in some case, the style of which your scribe failed to learn.

I was not a little surprised in looking over yesterday's REPUBLICAN to find one J. L. Taylor had so to speak, sailed into County Judge Morton, because in the discharge of his duties as County Judge he was called upon to order a vote taken on the whisky question. Anyone acquainted with the law is aware that after the petition was presented it was obligatory on the Judge to order the election.

Do you not think it is about time to be casting about for material for Representative in the Legislature? There are plenty of good Republicans well qualified for the place and we should be looking out for the best one. With a good man and the right kind of an organization we can win in November.

## Strictly a Case of Color.

In the Quarterly Court here Wednesday in the case of John Browning vs. Tom Walker, both colored, a colored jury was summoned and tried the case. The controversy came up over a horse which Browning had sold Walker. The horse died soon after Walker got it and he refused to pay the balance due on the horse. Browning brought suit on this ground. Rev. J. J. Fleming, H. C. Pace, Tom Ross, Jack Collins, Green Barnett and Ves Lindley composed the jury. F. L. Felix was the attorney for the plaintiff and M. L. Heavrin for the defense. The jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff.

Th calls to mind a case tried here once before in which a colored jury was summoned. The accused was tried for breach of the peace, and the jury returned a verdict in which they declared he should be sent to the penitentiary.

## Hartford College Report.

Quarterly report of the general average of the students of the Collegiate Department of Hartford College and Business Institute for the third term, ending March 24, 1893. Maximum, 100; minimum, 0. We desire that every patron of the College receive a copy of these reports:

Ruth Coombes 98, Eva Pirtle 98, Floyd Crafton 98, W. A. Stewart 97, Ella Cox 97, Jno. H. Wood 97, J. R. McAfee 97, Robert Nelson 97, Rachie Sanderfur 96, Carrie Werner 96, Sallie Quisenberry 96, Mrs. Simmons 96, Wilson Galloway 96, Sophia Davidson 96, J. L. Brown 96, L. R. Barnett 96, Silas Griffin 96, J. Ham Barnes 95, R. E. Lee Simmerman 95, Nola Clark 95, Etta Thomas 95, Siddle Davidson 95, J. L. Elmore 95, Ella Herring 95, D. E. Miller 95, Fannie Renter 94, Anna Fogle 94, Ida Renter 94, Mabel Hubbard 94, Lula Johnson 94, E. Tracy 94, Ben C. Gibson 94, A. C. Yeiser 94, U. C. Barnett 94, Anna Chambers 93, Della Shultz 93, Bessie Maddox 93, Annie Clark 93, Elva Morton 93, Byron Barnes 93, Chas. Ellis 93, Lee B. Mills 93, A. S. Bennett 93, G. B. Slack 93, Mamie Ross 92, Hattie Galloway 92, C. S. McLean 92, C. J. Dunn 92, A. M. Smith 91, Bessie Morton 90, Georgia Hudson 90, H. Pruden 90, Mary Miller 88, Susie May 88, Henri Hammonds 88, Mattie Bennett 88, Lelia Rosson 87, Alice Bowman 87, L. M. Sanderfur 87, Paris Pirtle 86, R. D. Walker 86, R. L. Power 86, P. L. Berkshire 86, J. S. Harold 85, Owen Williams 85, Walter Martin 85, Lillie McGee 85, Lula Maury 84, Chas. Waltrip 84, A. D. Park 83, Berta Morton 82, Mary Smith 81, Jessie Smith 80, Jennie Quisenberry 80, A. B. Crabtree 80, M. H. Keel 80, Lula Miller 80, Lida Morton 79, H. W. Robards 78, E. M. Woodward 78, Florence White 78, Oma Westerfield 77, H. L. White 76, H. Weinsheimer 73, Susie Bowman 73, L. V. Bellou 72, Edna Carson 72, W. D. Moore 72, D. F. Roll 72, Mabel Kimbley 70, Jas. F. Thomas 70, Lena Carson 70, Edna Griffin 70, Jas. Lyons 70, Corinne Cox 69, Nannie Young 68, Mary Klein 67, Jas. T. Sanderfur 67, C. Field 60, Jno. W. Faith 60, H. Osborne 60, J. T. Greer 55, Wayne Griffin 55, Willie Collins 40, John May 40, Viola Westerfield 34, Lawton Klein 26, Mabel Brown 25, Jessie Bean 9, George May 2.

## CLASS DISTINCTIONS.

(See Catalogue, Page 26.)

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## McLean County.

[LIVERMORE CHRONICLE.]  
Friday evening while working on a raft of logs, Mr. John Rohmhill, of Centertown, caught his foot between two logs, dislocating his ankle and breaking one of the small bones. He was taken home Saturday morning. Dr. Hillsman is attending him.

Mr. N. J. Burgess, an old gentleman who was reported by some of the papers as dead a few weeks ago, is still living. He was in town Saturday, and requested us to announce that he is "still in the land of the living." Although an old man he looks well, and bids fair to stay with us a long time yet.

The four-year-old son of Gus. Landrum, of color, of this place, made a fatal mistake Sunday evening. He went to the kitchen to get a glass of milk and through mistake got hold of a cup of concentrated lye, of which he drank considerable before the mistake was observed. The parents immediately summoned physicians, but all efforts to save the child's life were futile. He died in terrible agony Monday night.

Quite a little excitement was caused Thursday, just before noon, at the lower end of Main street, and an eye witness told how it was caused.

It seems that Lee Malden, the detective, who has worked up so many cases against the "Blind Tigers," was going down Main street when he came near one of the stores where the animal is supposed to be caged. Here he was seen by a well known lady, whom he had brought several cases against, and she had a buggy whip in her hand, and as she did not care to let him pass along by her house on the sidewalk, a display of the "persuader" made the "Hawkshaw" take to the roadway.

A complaint was made to Judge Newton and a warrant was issued for the whipwielder.

Notice.  
Any persons having claims against the estate of W. B. Hardisty will present them to me properly proven. Also all persons indebted to said estate will settle at once and save cost. April 17, 1893. H. S. WARD, Ex'r of W. B. Hardisty. Westerfield, Ky. 38 5t

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Contest closes Wednesday, August 23, 1893. No guesses will be recorded after that date. Other prizes to the amount of \$300 will be added later on. We are giving more goods to the dollar than any other house in Grayson county, and our motto is "Give the best goods for the least money." Give us a call.

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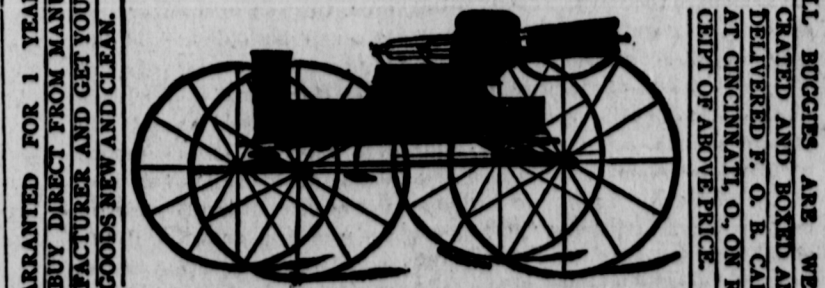
Last Wednesday's quotations: Wheat, 73 @ 74c; Corn, 40c; Oats, 23c.

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A CITIZEN

Writes a Very Pertinent Article, Favoring Whisky.

HARTFORD, Ky., April 15.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN.—Whether you acted wisely or unwisely in admitting my first article to the columns of your paper, I am unable to say, but I do know that in doing so you license me to inflict another batch of my unvarnished opinions upon a much patient community. If I could write as rapidly as I think I verily believe that many useful thoughts would be saved to the world, which as it now is, owing to my slowness in the use of a pen, must be lost forever. So that if these thoughts seem worth the reading you may depend on it, that those others which I thought out but which I could not write quickly enough were very fine indeed. By no means must you question my ability as a thinker, it is only in the writing that I fail. If I could employ a stenographer who could put on paper all the product of my brain I am quite sure I could in a short time make myself notorious, if nothing more.

I can, as you will by this time observe, only give you a point here and there amid the great mountain range of my cogitations.

First. There has been a great deal said about the proposed sale of whisky in the town of Hartford. Now, like most folks in Hartford, I have my opinion about the matter, but in expressing that opinion I do not desire to offend the good people who favor prohibition. I am for saloons and I propose to tell you why. I am for saloons because all the rich and more prosperous cities have them and they ought to be open to the young men and boys who are growing up so that they will not go to them when they are older. The boys of Hartford ought to be allowed to visit saloons while they are very young and as they grow toward manhood so that when they reach manhood they won't want to go any more. They'll have satisfied themselves by that time. I'm not much of a believer in Solomon's theory, to bring a child up in the way it should go and when he is old he will not depart from it, but rather I believe you should bring up the young in the way they should not go and when they are older I think somehow they will probably by chance get in the right way.

At any rate I think the boys and men of Hartford ought not to be compelled when they want a drink to sneak off after it like a thief in the dark and buy it from some fellow who must violate the law in order to accommodate them. We are Americans and Americans are noblemen and it humbles the pride of a noble man to sneak around after a drink. It ought to be found in a saloon at a convenient place about the street corner. A man does not like to violate the law; we have great respect for the law, we noblemen have, and we dislike to compel another nobleman, just as high-minded as we are, to violate the law in order to furnish us a drink. But he is bound by every tie of honor to do it, and he does it.

I am for the saloon because it will give the town a considerable amount of money in the way of high license. The saloon-keeper will of course make a profit, else he would not go into the business. So he will be able to pay a high license. Perhaps even as much as all of \$1,000. Of course I know all those or a majority of the wealthier class or rather the well-to-do class who drink will keep their liquor at their homes, and will only step into the saloon for an occasional drink, but then there are the boys who will drink exclusively at the saloon and so will the poor, from whom, as you well know, usually comes the saloon-keeper's profit. So you see the saloon-keeper can afford to pay high license.

I am for the saloon because it will increase trade. All restrictions will be thrown off and the men who spend their money with the saloon-keeper will, of course, for that very reason, spend considerably more with the merchants for supplies for their families. Don't you see? And then all these hateful Blind Tigers will love the saloon-keeper and will, of course, go out of business, because—well, anyway they'll go out of business, of course. It stands to reason, you know, that men respect law more in towns where there are saloons than they do elsewhere. It requires no argument to prove that the more whisky the people drink the better health and morals they will have, the more law-abiding they will be, the better qualified to teach the young and the more generous support they will give to education and religion. I am for saloons because I believe there would be less whisky drunk in Hartford if we had them than there is now, and as I believe whisky is an evil and am opposed to its being used as a beverage, I am in favor of open saloons in the town. I am in favor of open saloons because they increase the number of consumers in the town. There is the saloon-keeper and his whole family who would be consumers. I am for saloons because the association is elevating. Around the saloon one is thrown with the best people the country affords. The most enlightened, the most moral and religious, and where, too, one is not bothered with that pest which infests society and which the world for want of a better name calls woman. We are not bothered with her influence and society in the saloon. And then it is gentlemanly to drain the cup; it is a mark of superior

worth, in short, if you must know, it is smart.

And here I might rest my cause, feeling that you by this time have concluded with me that Hartford needs saloons and needs them badly, but at the risk of boring you, I will say that I am further than this in favor of saloons. I am not in the true sense a citizen of your town, though I am to some extent interested here although I have bought no property. I have business interests in other places but I think I had rather live among you Hartford people if I can only find something that suits my taste and capabilities. In short, Mr. Editor, if Hartford only had saloons I might get to run one myself, and this reason together with those I have cited above constitutes the basis of my opinion that Hartford should vote for whisky.

A CITIZEN.

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Will be given for any case of Rheumatism which cannot be cured by Dr. Drummmond's Lightning Remedy. The proprietors do not hide this offer, but print it in bold type on all their circulars, wrappers, and printed matter, and through the columns of the newspapers everywhere. It will work wonders—one bottle curing any ordinary case. If the druggists have not got it, he will order it, or it will be sent to any address by express on receipt of price, together with instructions for use. Drummmond Medicine Co., 48-50 Maiden Lane, New York. Agents wanted.

**The World's Youth Congress.**  
Among the more than a hundred different Congresses to be held during the World's Fair, under the World's Congress Auxiliary, the one that stands out unique and alone, having no precedent in the history of such gatherings, will be the World's Youth Congress, which will convene on July 17, and hold three half-day sessions. The fact of its having no precedent, so far from militating at all against it seems to be in favor, as something like a general feeling prevails that this Columbian year should mark the inauguration of some new and decided movement looking toward the enlistment of the young of America along lines calculated to most rapidly develop in them lofty sentiments of patriotism and decided notions of what constitutes true citizenship.

Delegates to this Congress may be either boys or girls, and are drawn from the grammar and high school grades of the public schools in every county in the United States, though confined to ages between thirteen and twenty-one years. In Chicago the work was taken up with great enthusiasm in the schools under the recommendation of the Board of Education, and nearly every school already has its delegates enrolled. Most of these delegates were chosen by an essay contest in the several schools, and it was hoped by the committee having this Congress in charge that the delegates everywhere would be chosen this way, but it is now so important that the names of those representatives of their several schools should be in the hands of the committee at the earliest possible time, that this committee urges teachers everywhere to at once appoint in their schools a delegate and an alternate, and forward their names, age, county, name their school and Post-office address to the Secretary of the committee, F. Frederic Bliss, 713 Insurance Building, Chicago.

Any teacher is at liberty to send names, and if from any county a larger number is received than that to which its population entitles it, the committee selects the proper number from those first received. To insure the full quota from each county the committee would be glad if names of delegates and alternates were sent from every school.

Requests have been sent to the ministers of education in foreign lands to convey the committee's invitation to the youth of their several countries, and asking for their appointment in the same ratio and on the same terms as in this country. From these replies are being received every day. It is not expected that any large number of the youth of foreign lands can actually be in attendance, but their appointment and the publication of their names in the final reports of the gathering would be to them a matter of quite pardonable pride, and the certificates of their delegateship would be a souvenir of the Columbian celebration. It is hoped that every teacher reading this will immediately act on the matter, and that the young people who are attending school will bring this to the attention of their teachers. In asking questions requiring reply a stamp should be enclosed.

**Died.**

Mrs. Letitia Robinson, aged eighty-three years, died April 20 at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Lalue, near Short Creek, Grayson county. Mrs. Robinson had been a widow for twenty years or more. During the life of her husband, Elijah Robinson, their home was on Rough Creek about four miles north-east of the Falls of Rough. After the death of her husband she lived with her children, thirteen in number, until one year ago her oldest child died. Mrs. Robinson was a sister of "old Uncle Bill Davidson," of Breckenridge county, who died several years ago. She enjoyed life as much as any young person and has always had perfect health until a few months ago she was stricken with liver disease, from which she never recovered. It was her desire to live to be one hundred years old. She leaves twelve children, seventy-five grand children, fifty-seven great grand children and three great great grand children to

mourn her death, besides a host of relatives and friends. The remains were interred in the Eskridge graveyard near her old home. It is not often that we witness such a scene as the one we beheld last Monday—old women whose hair has been silvered by time and whose steps were slow, knelt for the last time by their mother's side and wept. Their grief seemed more than they could bear, through happiness and sorrow they remembered and loved that mother. She was a true Christian, which should be a great consolation to her children and friends. They cannot talk to her of their trials and troubles, but she is still their mother and is watching and waiting for them in a brighter home. When my life shall have closed I hope to meet her, my great grand mother, in that world where happiness reigns forever.

MOLLIE E. TUNSTALL.

Following Mr. Howells' lead, apparently, both Frank R. Stockton and Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett have gone over to The Ladies' Home Journal, and the most important works by these authors upon which they are now engaged, will shortly see publication in this magazine.

**MR. PLEASANT.**

April 14.—The health of the community is generally good. The farmers are preparing to plant corn. Prof. A. H. Stewart's show at this place last Friday night was a success. It was Prof. Stewart's first attempt. Rev. H. G. Davis, of Lewisburg, failed to fill his regular appointment at this place last Sunday on account of sickness.

R. H. Rains went to Beaver Dam this week on business.

Buck, Jack and Bill Monroe went to Caneyville Tuesday to deliver some hogs and cattle.

S. E. Taylor was visiting at Rosine last Sunday.

Miss Arabelle Miller was the guest of Mrs. Jarnagin yesterday.

The Sunday School will be reorganized at this place the fourth Sunday in this month. We hope it may prosper and do much good.

W. G. Stewart has returned to his school after a month's vacation on account of measles.

R. C. Jarnagin closed a very successful school at No. 25 last Friday.

Mrs. Sarah C. Jarnagin is very ill at this writing.

We are needing a new school house at this place very bad, and we can build it if the patrons will only work together which they certainly will do. We can and must build a house at this place, for there are children to educate and we must have a house before that can be accomplished. The house we have is too small and is getting old. We want a house built up with the times, we want a house with some attractions to it so as to entice the children to go to school, and a nice house would certainly be some inducement for them to go. If you want your children to learn you must get them satisfied with the house as well as the teacher. Who is it that is going to be satisfied with a log school house, when the children all around in joining districts have nice frame houses.

SKUDS.

**A Sailor Man's Luck Piece.**

Warfinger Isaacs at Folsom street found a silver quarter, and thereby proved that sailors' superstition is not dead yet. The coin was found imbedded in the end of a fender that had been hoisted up on the dock to have new mooring holes bored. This fender is an immense pine stick that originally saw duty as a lowmast of some vessel, just what sort of a craft, however, has been lost in obscurity by the fact that the old fender has been shifted so often that the oldest warfinger could not call up its origin or first service. It was bought, as some of others are, after it had been condemned as a mast, and after years of banging between ships and wharves only the step at the butt end remains to tell that it had ever supported canvas.

Isaac's find was made in the center of the step, into the rotten wood of which he was idly boring with his cane. A dozen sailors wanted to secure the "luck piece," but the warfinger retained it to tempt fortune for himself. The custom of planting a coin under the mast of a vessel is as old as the art of shipbuilding. In early days it was intended to propitiate the gods of the waters and was universal among all nations. The custom is still practiced to a considerable extent, and nine vessels out of ten at least today will show a bit of minted gold or silver in the center of the step of the mainmast if search be made. The quarter picked up by Isaac was coined in 1871, and saved from being blackened by the action of the salt water was as fresh as the day it came from the mint.—San Francisco Examiner.

**Shorthand Language.**

"One col," he brusquely announced as he entered a general furnishing store on upper Broadway.

"Cert," replied the girl in attendance as she took down a collar and wrapped it up.

"Much?" he queried as he toyed with a silver piece.

"Quar dol," she answered as she gave him the change.

"O K," he said as he turned away.

"Tra la," she replied as she went back to finish waiting on an old man who had been looking at neckties.

"What sort of language do you call that?" he asked.

"Shorthand, sir."

"Oh, that's it? Sort o' saves your breath, doesn't it?"

"Course."

"Well, I don't think I could ever get used to it at my age. It don't express enough."

"How?"

"Why, I'd love! I want to say to you that I'll wear one of my suspenders around my neck for a tie before I'll pay 50 cents for such shoddy as these. How could you express all that in three or four words?"

"I can do it in one," she replied.

"How?"

"Git."

And he ambled.—New York Clipper.

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West Point	8:11 a. m.	7:20 p. m.	
Brandenburg	9:17 a. m.	8:07 p. m.	
Irvington	9:41 a. m.	8:37 p. m.	
Stephensport	10:23 a. m.	9:21 p. m.	
Cloverport	10:44 a. m.	9:46 p. m.	
Hawesville	11:11 a. m.	10:10 p. m.	
Louisville	11:35 a. m.	10:34 p. m.	
Owensboro	12:16 p. m.	11:11 a. m.	
Spotsylvania	1:04 p. m.	11:53 a. m.	
Ar. Henderson	1:25 p. m.	12:20 a. m.	

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WEST BOUND.	Daily.	No. 31.	Daily.
Lv. Louisville	7:45 a. m.	6:25 p. m.	
West Point	8:11 a. m.	7:20 p. m.	
Brandenburg	9:17 a. m.	8:07 p. m.	
Irvington	9:41 a. m.	8:37 p. m.	
Stephensport	10:23 a. m.	9:21 p. m.	
Cloverport	10:44 a. m.	9:46 p. m.	
Hawesville	11:11 a. m.	10:10 p. m.	
Louisville	11:35 a. m.	10:34 p. m.	
Owensboro	12:16 p. m.	11:11 a. m.	
Spotsylvania	1:04 p. m.	11:53 a. m.	
Ar. Henderson	1:25 p. m.	12:20 a. m.	

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